PRICE \$21 PER MONTH

號四月三英港香 HONGRONG, FLIDAY, MARCH 41B, 1887 五拜禮 日十初月二年三十緒光 號二零百一千九第 No. 9104 AUCTIONS NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. INTIMATIONS BANKS. INTIMATIONS. SHIPPING. THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY LIMITED. POSTPONED OF SALE. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. ORIENTAL BANK THE NEW FILTERS!! ARRIVALS. CORPORATION, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY March 2, Signal, German steamer, 385, Bruhn, THE THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. S. S. "BRAUNSCHWEIG." will be held at the Office of the Company, Prays Pakhoi 28th Feb., and Hoihow 1st March PATD UP£ 500,000. General.-Stemssen & Co. FROM BREMEN AND PORTS OF Central, on WEDNESDAY, 9th March, at HALF-PAST THEE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTER-Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, THE BRITISH THREE-MASTED March 2, Thavancore, British steamer, 1,148 FILTERS SILICATED CARBON The above named ateamer having arrived, LONDON. SCHOONER Logan, Saigon 25th February, Rice and NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report Consignoss of Cargo are hereby informed that "WANDERING MINSTREL" of the General Managors, and electing a Consult-ing Committee and Auditors BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN Paddy.-Russell & Co. their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and AND THE COLONIES. March 2. SPARTAN, American bark, 749, Henry THE FILTRE RAPIDE. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Cairn, Newcastle 5th January, Coals,-En. THE BANK receives money on Deposit will be CLOSED from . 7th to 23rd March Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence delivery Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues SCHELLHASS & Co. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, March 2, BENGLOE, British steamer, 1,198, R. RUSSELL & Co.. may be obtained. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application. TRAVELLING FILTERS. Farquhar, Saigon 27th February, Rice .-"General Managers. Optional Cargo will be landed here in Hong-Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887. kong unless notice to the contrary be given remainder upon transfer; the Vessel to be at GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Purchaser's risk immediately after being knocked 1st May next. before 4 P.M. TO-DAY, the 26th instant. March 3, Kung-Par, Chinese str., 602, Buch Interest allowed on Deposits:-CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY No Claims will be admitted after the Goods Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum anan, Whampos 3rd March, General .- C. TABLE FILTERS. have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum M. S. N. Co. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. at 10.45 A.M.

March 3, THALES, British steamer, 820, F. D. Goddard, Feechow 25th February, Amoy 26th, and Swatow 2nd March, General,-DOUGLAS LAPRAIR & Co. March 3, ZAFIRO, British str., 675, R. Talbot,

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Manila 28th February, General.-Russell

Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887.

ELLY & WALSH, LIMITED. HAVE JUST RECEIVED March 3, ALWING SEYD, Gorman steamer, 558, The Hongkong Alminack, 1887. A. Samme, Saigon 25th February, Rice,-British Journal of Photography Alk., 1887. Year Book of Photography, 1887. Ruff's Winter Turf Guide. Ross, Japan, Shanghai, and Swatow 2nd Tom Hood's Comic Annual, 1887. Unwin's Annual-The Witching Time. Will's Bristol Bird's Eye Tobacco. Sommer, London 14th January, and Singa-Will's Three Castles Tobacco. Myrtle Grove Tobacco.

Allen and Ginter's Richmond Mixture. Old Rip Tobacco. Little Beauties Cigarettes. Richmond Straight Cut Cigarettes.

March 3, ANTENOR, British steamer, 1,376, J A Magnificent Assortment of Now American Grier, Liverpool 15th January, and Singa-Birthday Cards. Chas. Dickens' Works, handsomely bound in pore 25th February, General.-Butter-FIELD & SWIRE. Whatman's Drawing Paper-Rough, Smooth March 3, SALTEE, French steamer, 323, Roze,

and Medium. Haiphong 27th February, and Holhow 2nd Photograph Scrap Albums. How to win at Nap—40 cents.
Unicode—a capital little Telegraphic Code. March, General.—A. R. MARTE Almanack de Goths-French and German. CLEARANCES. Hitchcock Mechanical Lumps. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. Waterbury Watches-\$4 each.

Dixie's Chop Cut.

Turkish Mixture.

Perfection Tobacco.

Old Rip Cigarottes.

Virginia Bright's Cigarettes.

Straight Cut No. 1 Cigarettes.

Gentlemen's Boots and Shoes.

Ladies French Evening Shoes.

Hongkong, 26th February, 1887.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCE

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND of 7 per cent. or \$8.75

A PER SHARE for the Eix months ended

31st December, 1886, declared at To-day's

Ordinary Yearly Meeting, will be payable at

BANKING CORPORATION on and after TUES

DAY, the 1st March, and Shareholders are re-

quested to apply for WARRANTS at the Com-

LIQUIDATION.

PAYMENT OF 4TH DIVIDEND.

on all CLAIMS ogninst the Hougkong

that have been approved by the Court of Chan-

very will be paid on and after MONDAY

NEXT, the 21st February, at the Offices of the

NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

which previous Dividends have been paid:

2, Queen's Road.

from the 1st of July next.

highest or any tonder.

ENDOWMENT ASSUR-

ANCE POLICIES

SECURED PAYMENT

RETTREMENTANNUITY

Forms on application.

Shanghai, 1st February, 1887.

19th February, 1887.

The 4th Dividend is payable on all Claims on

THE SHANGHAI DOCK COMPANY.

TENDERS are invited for a lease of the

of Mossrs. S. C. FARNHAM & Co. for a torm of

Persons tendering should state the nature

of the security they propose giving for payment of the rent and the due performance of the

conditions of the lease and should send in their

tenders not later than the 31st of March next,

to Messrs. MYBUROH & DOWDALL, the Secre-

taries of the Campany, No. 21, Foochow Road,

where further Particulars can be obtained

The Company does not bind itself to accept the

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

INVESTED FUNDS.....£6,466,527

VERY facility is afforded for despatch of

Business. Premiums moderate. Proposal

THE BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED

Agents, Hongkong,

Are granted under

liberal conditions as

regards Rates, Non-

forfeiture, Surrenders

18080-

and Revival.

Company's Dock in Hongkow known as

H. A. HERBERT,

Attorney for the Official Liquidator,

Oriental Bank Corporation.

FOURTH DIVIDEND of 61 per Cent.

D. GLLLIES,

By Order of the Board of Directors.

Ladies' French Kid Walking Shoes.

Rubber Stamps made to order in a few days.

UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL.

CORPORATION.

JOHN WALTER.

Acting Chief Manager.

W. BREWER, Queen's Road.

Cut Cable Coil.

Whittaker's Almanacks. KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG

Parthia, British str., for Bangkok. Nestor, British str., for Singapore. Hailoong, British str., for Swatow. BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED Signal, Gorman str., for Hoihow. Activa, German str., for Chefoo. McGregor's Engineer's Annual. Activ, Danish str., for Haiphong. More Whitaker's Almanacks. Wellingdorf, German str., for Salgon. Brynhilda, British ship, for Sun Francisco. Old Rip Tobacco. Richmond Mixture No. 2.

DEPARTURES. March 3, P. C. C. KLAO, British steamer, for Swatow. March 3. KILLARNEY, British str., for Hollow

3rd March.

March 3, NESTOR, British steamer, 1,269, Thomp-

March 3, BENALDER, British stenner, 1.331, Jas

March 3, GLENLYON, British steamer, 1,412, J

March 3, Tamsut, British steamer, 919, Fuwcett

March, General.-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co

pore 24th February, General .- JARDINE

Whampon 3rd March, General. BUTTER

neral.-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

WIELER & Co.

MATHESON & Co.

FIELD & SWIRE.

son, Shanghai and Swatow 2nd March; Ge-

March 3, NESTOR, British str., for London., March 3, HALLOONG, British str., for Tamsui. March 3, Acriva, German str., for Chefoo. March 3. Tsinan, British str., for Australia.

> PASSENGERS. ARREYED.

Por Travancore, str., from Saigon.-34 Chi-Per Thules, str., from East Coast.—127 Chi-

For Zagiro, str., from Manila.—Rev. Gregorio Paz, Rev. Pedro Olea and servants, Messrs. Marshall, Dreyer, Geicolohea, and Galiani, 1 Euro-

Per Bennloc, str., from Saigon.-3 Chinese. Per Benülder, str., from Japan, &c .- 550 Chi-Payable on and after MONDAY, the 28th inst., Per Nestor, str., from Shanghai, &c .- 16 Chi-Per Ghadgon, str., from London, &c.-Mr. and Mrs. Mc Gregor, and 350 Chinese from Singa-

Per Antenor, str., from Liverpool, &c.-500 Per Saltee, str., from Haiphong, &c .- Mr. Gondat, and 36 Chinese

REPORTS.

The British steamer Nestor, from Shangha 25th February, and Swatow 2nd March, reports had moderate winds and overcast weather.

The British steamer Benalder, from Japan' Shanghai, and Swatow 2nd March, reports had strong N.E. monsoon from Shanghai to Hongkong and rain occasionally.

pany's Office No. 14, Prays Central, Hongkong. The French steamer Saltce, from Haiphong 27th February, and Holhow 2nd March, reports had fresh N.N.E. winds in the Gulf; thence to port moderate N.E. winds with head swell."

The British steamer Travancore, from Saigon 25th February, reports first 48 hours light winds and moderate sea; thence to port strong winds and his h sea, thick foggy and rainy weather.

The British steamer Zagro, from Manila 28th February, reports first part fine, pleasant weather with light northerly airs, latter part strong | Branch of the OBJENTAL BANK CORPORATION, N.E. winds with high sea and cloudy weather.

The British steamer Bengloc, from Saigon 27th February, reports had moderate breeze and fine weather to lat. 18 N.: thence to port strong N.E. breeze with high sea and thick hazy wea-

The British steamer - Thales, from Foochow 25th February, Amoy 26th, and Swatow 2nd March, reports from Foochow to Amoy light their Claims, in order that the payment of the 31st day of March instant, will be adjusted by 4th Dividend may be endorsed thereon. E.N.E. winds and fine weather; from thence to port fresh E.N.E. winds and cloudy weather. In Swatow strs. Rutsang and Pechili

The British steamer Glenlyon, from London 14th January, and Singapore 24th February, reports had moderate N.E. winds and fine weather to Capa Padaran; from thence to port heavy. gales from the North with thick dirty weather and very heavy head sea, shipping quantities of water fore and aft. On the 26th Feb. passed the the Old Dock and at present in the occupation str. Deepdale, and on the 2nd March passed the str. l'ropontie.

VESSELS ARRIVED AT DESTIN	NATION FROM
PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AN	
(Per last Mail's Adv	
James E. Stone Manila	
Glenearn (s.)Shanghai	
Ajax (s.)Shanghai	
Palinnrus (s.)Shanghai	
Bellerophon (s.)Shanghai	Jan. 17
Pembrokeshire (s.). Yokohama	
Leander Foochow	
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VESSELS EXPECTED AT H	ONGKONG
(Corrected to Date	1
Luzon New York	Nov. 1

	VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG.	
	(Corrected to Date.)	
	Luzon New York Nov.	
	Heinrich Hamburg Nov.	
	Wachusett Gardilf Dec.	
	Elwell Cordiff Dec.	
	ArugudaNewportDec.	
	Tobique Liverpool via Cardiff Jan.	
	Chelydra (s.) Antwerp Jan.	
	Flintshire (s.) London Jan.	-
	Massalia (s.)	
	Yorkshire (s.),LondonJan,	
1	Benlawers (s.) London via GlasgowJan.	
	Benvenue (s.) LondonJan.	
	Cuscapedia (s.)L'pool via AntworpJan.	
	Antenor (s.) LiverpoolJan.	
	Lonnox (a.)	

Fixed for 3 months, 3 por Cent. per Annum. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per

Annum on the daily balance. APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the BALANCES of such Claims purchased on advantageous terms. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE

H. A. HERBERT, Manager, Hongkong Branch. Hongkong, 31st May, 1886.

TTONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING

CORPORATION. PAID-UP CAPITAL\$7,500,000. RESERVE FUND 4,500,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS :--Chairman-M. GROTE, Esq. Deputy Chairman-C. D. BOTTOMLEY, Esq.

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Hongkong-JOHN WALTER, Esq.

On Current Deposit Account at the rate of per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:-For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cont. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. JOHN WALTER,

Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. NOTICE.

DULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK:

I.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on wook-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor

may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 33 per cent, per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily bulances.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING 5-Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half- not make any entries themselves in their Pass-L year ending 31st December last, at the Books, but should send them to be written up rate of (£1.10/ Sterling) ONE POUND AND TEN at least twice a year, about the beginning of SHILLINGS STERLING PER SHARE of \$125 is January and beginning of July. 6.-Correspondence as to the business of the at the Offices of the Corporation where Share- Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank HOLDERS are requested to apply for WARBANTS. BUSINESS is forwarded free by the various By Order of the Court of Directors, British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand,

but the personal attendance of the Depositor or [441 his daly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass Book are necessary. For the Hongrong and Shanghai Bank-ING CORPORATION, JOHN WALTER. Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. INTIMATIONS.

the Premises of the Hondkond and Shanghai THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY. LIMITED.

TOTICE is bereby given that a GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Registered Office in Podder's Street, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. ... [442] the 15th March instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, in accordance with Ordinance No. 1 of 1877

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN Sec. 88. ISAAC HUGHES, Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE

YEAR 1886. CONTRIBUTORS to the above Office are requested to Furnish the undersigned with a LIST OF THEIR CONTRIBUTIONS for the CREDITORS are requested to apply to the Bank year ending 31st December, 1886, in order that for their Dividends and to produce the letter they the DISTRIBUTION or BONUS may be holds from the Official Liquidator, admitting arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the

the Office; and no Claims or Alterations will t subsequently admitted. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED. Hongkong, 2nd March, 1887,

CHINA_MERCHANTS' STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY'S DEBENTURE LOAN OF 1886,

NTEREST DUE and DRAWN BONDS of this LOAN will be payable at the Offices not less than three and not exceeding ten years of the Hongkong and Shandhai Banking CORPOBATION on and after 1st day of March, JOHN WALTER,

Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st March, 1887 MAIL TABLES. MAIL TABLES.

MAIL TABLES. NTOW READY

Showing Dates of DEPARTURE of the ENGLISH and FRENCH MAILS from Hong-KONG, of their auticipated Arrivals in London. and the Dates of RETUEN DESPATCHES; and containing also a similar Table regarding PARCEL POST

An Almanac for 1887: On Paper 10 Cents each, or One Dollar per Dozen. On Cardboard 20 Cents each ANGLO-CHINESE CALENDAR On Cardboard 10 Cents. "Dally Press " Office. Hopekope, 11th January, 1887,

the above Company will be hold at the Office of the General Agents, Tedder's Street, on Thursday, the Sth March, at 4 P.M.

Any Claims must reach us before the 10th March, or they will not be recognised.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by Accounts to 31st December, 1886. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 25th

Instant, to the 10th March, both days AND NOTICE is also hereby given that at the same place and on the same day at 12.15 o'crock IN THE AFTENNOON, or so soon afterwards as the Ordinary Annual Meeting shall be concluded. an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEET-ING of the Company will be held for the

purpose of passing the subjoined Resolutions. Should the Resolutions be passed by the required majority they will be submitted for Confirmation having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness at a Second Extraordinary Meeting: which due Notice will be given. PROPOSED SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS.

1.—That the present Capital of the CHINA Relivery may be obtained. SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, be increased from \$900,000 to \$1,500,000 by the issue of 6,000 New Shares of \$100 each, to be issued at par. 2.—That the price of issue of each of the said

new shares be fully paid up by the Allottee on the 31st March, 1837, together with the sum of \$2 for each Share by way of interest on such Share from the 1st January, 1887 to the 31st March, 1887, at the rate of \$8 per cent. per annum. 3.—The holder of each of the said new shares shall be entitled to participate in the profits

of the Company as from the 1st January, 1887, equally with the holders of the present Capital of \$900,000. -That the said new shares be offered in the first place in such manuer and at such times as the General Agents shall think fit to the Persons who shall, on the 25th day of February, 1887, be the registered holders of FIHE Company's Steamship the old, or present, Shares in the proportion following, that is to say, two New Shares number of three of the said old or present Shares, and shall be accepted or not within the time limited for that purpose by the General Agents, and that any new share or shares offered in manner aforesaid, and not accepted within the time so limited, and also any share or shares which the General Agents shall have been unable to offer in manner aforesaid by reason of their being

no holder, or holders, of a complete number or complete numbers of three of the said old or present shares, shall be disposed of and allotted by the General Agents and Consulting Committee at such times, to such Persons, upon such terms, and in such terests of the Company.

and these lands transferred into the Com- General purposes. pany's name. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents,

-China Bugall Musining Company, LIMITED. Hongkong, 21st February, 1887.

LUZON SUGAR REFINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

GENERAL MEETING of the Luzon SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, will be the registration in this Colony of his mark as | Manila. By selecting the very best quality of | Port, and will have quick despatch held in the Offices of the General Agents, applied to Tea and the same has been duly Leaf, and by the greatest care and skill in the Pedder's Street, on THURSDAY, the 10th day registered. of March next, at 12.30 r.m., for the purpose of with a Statement of Accounts to 3let December 1885)

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, 26th

instant, until the day after the Meeting. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, 25th February, 1887.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

MIOTICE is hereby given that an . EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the above named Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, Peddar's Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY, the 16th March, 1887, at 12 o'clock (Noon), when the subjoined RESOLUTION which was passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 22nd day of February, 1887, will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Resolution.

RESOLUTION. That the Articles of Association be altered in. manner following:-

(a.) The following Article shall be substituted for Article No. 111, namely :- 111,-The Reserve Fund shall consist of a sum of not less than \$1,000,000 nor more than \$1,500,000. The following Article shall be substituted for Article No. 112, namely :- 112 - The Reserve Fund baving now reached the sum of \$1,000,000 the General Managers and the Consulting Committee may appropriate from time to time so much of the profits as

they may deem desirable to the Reserve Cornices; also made with Silk Plushes. Fund until the said Fund shall amount to such annual appropriation shall not exceed MR. MARINBURK. 10 per Cent. of the said profits. for Article No. 115, namely: -115 - The said | UPHOLSTERY WORK.

Reserve Fund shall if practicable be maintained at a sum of not less than \$1,000,000 nor more than \$1,500,000 and the whole of the future accruing profits of the Company shall, subject to such annual Bonus as aforesaid and less such portion or portions (if any) thereof (not exceeding in any year 30 per Cent. of the profits of such year) astha General Managers may (as they are 2432] hereby empowered to do) apply in maintaining the Reserve Fund at a sum of not less than \$1,000,000 and less also such portion said Reserve Fund under Article 112 be divisible amongst the Shareholders generally

according to the number of Shares held by - JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers Hongkong, 29rd February, 1887.

TY WONG MAN Dealer in EURNITURE OF ALL KINDS. JAPANESE LACQUERED WARES, CURIOS, &c., &c. PRICES MODERATE. -

.53. QUEEN'S ROAD CHNTRAL, Victoria Hotel Buildings. Hangkans, 18th Pobrugry, 1887.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in examined on Tuesday, the 8th March, at 4

> Bills of Lading will be Countersigned by MELCHERS & Co.,

> Agents. Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. TETHE Company's Steamship

of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and apply to Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, whence

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 5th March, or they will not be No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any

Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 5th March, will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, 26th February, 1887. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

"WINGSANG." shall be offered to every helder of a complete having arrived from the above ports Consignees of cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown

Cargo remaining undelivered after the 4th March, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE MATHESON & Co.,

General Managors. Hongkong, 25th February, 1887.

TIMBER.

manner and way in every respect as they shall in their discretion think best in the in-E.E. ABRAHAMSON & Co., Sandakan, 5.—That the purchase of Inland Lots Nos. 729 British North Borneo, are now prepared to and 730, Victoria, Houghoug, at the agreed | submit for inspection Samples of hard and soft price of \$60,000 be now formally confirmed TIMBERS suitable for Wharves, Building and GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, 2nd November, 1886. FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD

TRADE MARK. (A Watch Face with the words "Hang Mee"

in English and Chinese at each side ... TOTICE is hereby given that Mr. LEUNG THE FIFTH ORDINARY ANNUAL MEE" SHOP, Honam, Canton, complied with the Established for many years in the Back requirements of Ordinance No. 16 of 1873 for Street; at the Head of the Large Bridge Nickels, Master, will load here for the above

Notice of Registration appeared in the in producing an article which is unexcelled for receiving a Report from the General Agents Government Guzette (Notification No. 420 of its aroma and smoking qualities and for its free-Mr. LEUNGSHIK WAN is informed that certain Traders have imitated or used his Trade | Shop the Government Stampef Manila, and as a Mark, and he offers a Reward of \$500 to any further, protection each box is marked with Person who shall give satisfactory information

in proof of such imitation or wrongful use the suid Mark. Mr. HENRY J. HOLMES is Solicitor for the aid Leung Shik Wan. Dated this 7th day of February, 1887.

MARINBURK Marine House, Queen's Road, Hongkorg.

MANUFACTURERS OF FIRST CLASS FURNITURE AND UPHOLSTERY. Every description in Foreign & latest Designs.

ARTISTIC DRAPERIES AND LAMBREHINS. DRAWING ROOM, LIBRARY AND DINING ROOM

COMPLETE BEDROOM SUITES with Elegant Designs of Dressing Cases. BEDDING AND BEDSTEADS.

A Large Variety of latest Style of TARES-TRIES, VELVETS, SILK FURNITURE, PLUSIES in all Colours, Plain and Embossed. FRINGES, TASSELS, CORDS by the Yard. GILT MOULDINGS, PICTURE FRAMES, and

the sum of \$1,500,000 provided always that The UPHOLSTERING is entirely done The following Article shall be substituted | STEAMERS REFITTED WITH FIRST CLASS

Hongkong, 7th September, 1886.

NAPIER JOHNSTONE'S BLEND, Superb Quality, CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SELECTION. Apply to LANE, GRAWFORD & Co.,

Hongkong O. N. G. T. S. U. N. 72, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, or portions (if any) thereof as may from TAILOR AND GENERAL DRAPER, time to time be applied in increasing the bas just received a Fresh shipment of WINTER Goops including NAP AND PILOT CLOTH,

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the 7th March, 1887, at 11 A.M., on BOARD, 362 Tons Register, Built is 1875, and Newly

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NOTICES OF FIRMS.

Hongkong, 18th February, 1887.

HONGKONG HOTEL. NOTICE.

TR. C. M. ROBERTS, formerly with Messrs. ALEXANDER GORDON & Co. London, has been appointed HOTEL MANAGER. MRS. ROBERTS has been appointed Matron.

By Order,

Secretary, HONGKONG HOTEL CO., LINITED. Hongkong, 1st March, 1887. NOTICE.

L. HAUSCHILD,

T HAVE THIS DAY established myself as SHARE and GENERAL BROKER. D. DORABJEE. Hongkong, 1st March, 1887.

NOTIOE. ARR. JOHN JULIUS WILLY VON Company's West Point Godowns whence de- 172 EHREN has This Day been authorized to Sign our Firm per procuration. SANDER & Co.

Hongkong, 24th February, 1887. NOTICE, NR YEE FOO is authorized to SIGN my VA Firm or my name per procuration. YEE HING,

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SEN in our Firm Coased on the 24th November. 1886, and that of Mr. PAUL GERHARD HUBBE on the 31st December, 1886. Mr. JACOB RUFF has been anthorized to Sign our Firm per procuration from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co.

Mongkong & China, 14th February, 1887. 401 SPECIAL CAUTION. THE BEST BRAND OF MANILA

SHIK WAN(梁式雲)of the "HANG / THE CHUN HING SHOP has been Manufacture of Cigars, this Shop has succeeded dom from all adultorations and-impurities. Accordingly, the Government has granted the

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COCACO, CHUN HING SHOP, Care of BANG SIENG HONG. No. 16, Bonham Strand West Hongkong. 8th February, 1887.

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Hongkong, 26th August, 1885. SUNG COAL MERCHANTS. have always on hand LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP-TION OF COAL. Address:—Care of Messes. Kwong Sung & Co.,

Secretary.

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before the 6th of April, 1887. HENRY WALKER. Commissioner of Lands. IN HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S COURT AT SWATOW.

IN BANKRUPTCY. RE WILFRED REEVES

TAKE NOTICE that the First Meeting of Creditors held at H. M. CONSULATE on the 25th instant has been ADJOURNED till THURSDAY, the 24th Wareh, at 10 A.M. W. H. WILKINSON: Official Receivor.

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THE Steamship Captain Wm. Potts, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 4th instant, at

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BIRTH. At "Windy Arbour," Carter-road, Shanghai, on the 25th February, the wife of Captain E. SUBUSON,

HONGKONG, MARCH 4TH, 1887.

at the public meeting at the City Hall on Wedneeday with regard to the form the permanent commemoration of the Queen's Jubilee ought to take, there was mone on the question of the commemoration itself. On this CODE OF SIGNALS IN USE AT VICTORIA PRAK, the suggestion of the Chief Justice, and to admit of a greater interchange of views, on the subject of the permanent memorial and as to the date of the celebration of the tained, whereas it is to be feared that the opponents of the Park are not wholly satisthe Chambers of Commerce of Hongkong, in a thoroughly successful manner. It may of a state of disorder in the country that will possibly dissipate some little prejudice and serve as a pretext for Muscovite intervention. remove some erroneous impressions if we The appearance of Russian troops is Bulmention that it is not intended, so far as we garia would almost inevitably bring about shrubberies, and numerous walks, &c. The ous to recapitulate in an Advertisement, but intention is, we believe, to drain the interior of the Race-course and level it so as to convert it into a recreation ground for the rising race, an exercise ground for the troops, and a pleasant turf promenade for the general public. Neither trees nor shrubs nor flowers should be planted in it to ruin the view, and it ought not to be cut up and destroyed by intersecting walks and roads. But intending subscribers will no doubt be able to gatherall particulars and see the plans for

With regard to the Fête and rejoicings, we hope that there will be a well considered at Manila is getting out three fine steamers for scheme and that it will not be drawn out over three days. Such an extended cele- for the same trade. bration-especially on a date long after the event and possibly in another reign-would be absurd and unnecessary. There might be a military parade, in which marines and blue jackets from the Fleet could be invited to take partin the morning; the Chinese, if they were so inclined, might organise a procession telegraphic communication with the mainland, Rules of H.B.M. Supreme and other Courts for the afternoon; and the whole affair might and it is now proposed to build an additional be fittingly wound up at night by fireworks both official and private telegrams. and an illumination. Even this programme, if effectively carried out, will involve a large German Lloyd Company has made up its mind of the inhalitants, but I believe Hongkong is expenditure of time, trouble, and money, and to secure a share of the tobacco shipments from the only place in the empire where the day for ought to be sufficient to satisfy the most fervent loyalist and the most ardent pleasure mail fag, from Singapore to Amsterdam. They found unsuitable, as in India, it has been antiseeker, not excluding the emineut Q.C. who showed such anxiety to prolong the festivities over three days. If one day will suffice for | go no further than Singapore, and will depart the celebration in the United Kingdom, it ought surely to be enough for the purpose in the colonies and dependencies.

themselves.

military revolt in Silistria is rather disquieting as tending to show that the embers of available to the end of June. This suggestion, Orders may be sent to Daily Press Office, where political trouble in Bulgaria still exist, and however, has not been made by the Commission may yet develop into a more or less serious conflagration. The latest news by mail from that hotbed of political intrigue and nursery of disturbance had been more reassuring. The Vienna correspondent of the Standard, Tiger," as told by W. Ralston and C. W. Cole. writing under date of the 21st January, says : -"M. ZANKOPP is reported to have presented to the Porte a Memorandum proposing the rious interesting contributions from his pencil following method of settling the Bulgarian difficulty:-The Regency is to resign, and a Sketching Club will be enriched by some Coalition Ministry to be formed, with new and extraordinary powers, combining, in fact, all the functions of the Regency with thou of the present Government. After coming "The Russian flag-ship Wladimir Monomach profess to pay a compliment to the Queen have not taken my part in the negotiations. to an understanding with the Porte and all the Signatory Powers, this Ministry would summen a new one for the election of a are really surprised that England cannot do the self on this programme ances to have a new flagship every second year people not be carried out. Any one can satisfy him- and seven navalofficers who have been implicated mediatory influence of Prince Hismarck may, had touched it and be feared it would win tim, are really surprised that England cannot do the self on this point by walking down Queen's in the plot have been arrested. The particulars for a time perhaps, retard this collision; but but he had faith in it and proposed hat ging on are really surprised that England cannot do the have to dissolve the present Sobranje and Prince. This programme appears likely to prove acceptable, as it adopts the view of the sent to Europe, and a modern ship with the reporter says the resolution was carried by a transpired. present Bulgarian Administration in provid. latest improvements sent out to replace her. large majority. This is not quite exact. The SIE JAMES TERGUESON ON THE PROSPECTS ing that the resignation of the Regency China Station, and the second time she has been it numbered perhaps twice as many as the and the Dissolution of the Chamber shall not take place simultaneously. There is,

differ. M. ZANKOFF thinks the Coalition Ministry should be reformed, and the of the present Sobranje, whereas the Regents and the Government hold that every change must emanate from the existing Sobranje as the legitimate source of all Constitutional authority in Bulgaria." The Posther Lloyd, in an inspired article, proposes to settle all preliminary questions of of direct negotiation between the various concurrence of the Bulgarian Delegates and partiality during the proceedings, because in 1878. the Bulgarians will not listen to any Turkish lishes intelligence from Constantinople statthe Bulgarian Throne will be speedily over-Advertisements and Subscriptions which are not it adds, the resignation of the Bulgarian

in the meantime, until the Dissolution of the Sobranie and the issue of the write for the new elections, it has been arranged to form a Coalition Government, the present Regency ceasing to exist. Finally, the Constantinople correspondent of the Standard says :-"It is stated that the Bulgarian Government appear disposed to take M. ZANKOFF's terms into consideration, and to accept in principle foreign residents, it contains a mass of miscelany conditions which would not injuriously lanceus information. The object of the com affect the interests of the country, provided that such an arrangement were to put an end which reference is at all likely to be required, to the present situation. This concession on WHATEVER differences of opinion there were the part of Bulgaria is made solely in a spirit of conciliation towards Russia. In diplomatic the number of advertisements it contains. circles here a more reassuring opinion pre- large scale hap of the Asiatic Archipelego vails as to Bulgaria, and it is believed that all idea of a Russian occupation of the Prin- now interested commercially in the Straits THILTEEN THOUSAND AND FIVE HUNDERD point indeed a most hearty and gratifying cipality has now been abandoned." It will be unanimity prevailed, and the meeting re- seen that matters were favourably progressing covers. solved with acclamation that the occasion towards a settlement of the Bulgarian question should be fittingly celebrated by Her. Ma- an idea which was strengthened by the rejesty's loyal subjects in her distant colony of port that Russia was not indisposed to acre-engraved in a superior style and brought up | Hongkong. It is perhaps to be regretted | cept the Prince of Leuchtenberg as a canthat the meeting did not pay more heed to didate for the Bulgarian throne. Having regard to these circumstances it must be condefer their decisions until another meeting. | fessed that the revolt of the garrison at Siligitria is singularly ominous and suggests. the sinister impression that a concealed hand has been pulling the wires. Of course if Jubiles. By this means greater unanimity the Czan's policy is to keep the Bulgarian of feeling might doubtless have been ob- sore running the whole thing is explained: it was bealing too rapidly, and so a new one is apparently to be opened. Of course we THE GOVERNORSHIP OF HONGKONG fied that the resolutions carried by the meet- may be mistaken-we may be doing the ing really represent the wishes of the Russian Government an injustice-but the A full Chronology of remarkable events since majority of the community. However, past action of General Kaulzans seems at the advent of foreigners to China and Japan. the die is cast—the Victoria Park least to justify a suspicion that Ressian has been selected as the most desirable intrigue may not be wholly unconnected form of commemorating the Queen's with the outbreak among the garrison at Jubilee in the colony whose port is named Silistria. We can only hope that the after Her Majesty, and it is to be hoped that spark may not prove to have been applied the community will do their atmost to aid to such inflammable material as to lead [Silistria is an important town on the Danube Scales of Commissions and Charges adopted by the Committee to carry out the programme to a rapid spread of rebellion and the creation

> telegram in Rangoon papers, elsewhere pubished, that the negotiations with M. Zan-KOFF are taking an unfavourable turn, owing H. E. Admiral Hamilton, will play on the to that personage insisting upon the appointment of a Russian to the post of Minister of morrow the Band of the Northamptonshire War. This fact may account for the new Regiment, by kind permission of Colonel Antrouble at Silistria 7

The Manila tramways have paid a dividend of 25 percent, on capital.

Says the Penang Gazette: onsequent upon W. H. F. Darby the furbulent temperament of the Battak po- Casar Hawkins polation of Deli, the Dutch authorities have despatched a detachment of troops to the scene of F. H. O. Wilson

The Diario says an important shipping firm the inter-island and China trade. The Comercio mays another firm is also getting out a steamer

The Straits Times of the 19th ultimo says :-"The chartered French transport Cachar, with military reliefs for Tonquin, arrived in Singapore yesterday atternoon from Toulon, and left this morning for Haiphong.

The Shanghai Hungo says that Port Arthur, being a very important post, there is constant telegraph line, so as to facilitate the despatch of

are the Stettin, Africa, and Donau. They will immediately after loading with tobacco.

The exhibition at Hanoi is to be opened on the 15th instant. The Avenir du Tonkin says it has been proposed to establish in connection with the exhibition a double service of steamers THE telegram announcing the outbreak of a between Saigon and Hanoi and between Hongkong and Hanoi, for the conveyance of passengers and will only be submitted to it when practical terms can be offered not too expensive to the

protectorate. We have received a copy of one of the comic illustrated sketch books issued by Messia Rout-The tale is told, of course, mainly by the sketches, which are very clever and most amusing. Mr. Cole is paymaster of H. M. S. Leander, and vahave appeared recently in the Graphic. We hope that the next exhibition of the Hongkong sketches by this talented artist, whose opportunities to obtain subjects have been so varied.

however, one point on which they seriously vis the Iron Duke and the Audacious."

opiam is rapidly falling off as a revenue to the subscriptions amount to \$50,000 perhaps mother suppressed, and that Egypt be made neutral, as room on the stem of a tree-stump; and it can suppressed, and we hardly expect that the extra \$5,000 might be faised from the community in in the case of Belgium. It is also proposed neither protect the wearer from rain, heat, cold, tax of Tis. 80, to be levied before the drug can general. But this is not quite the sort of thing that free transit through the Suez Canal be ly next season, as there will be no chance for can all subscribe to according to our means and mission by the Armies of Europe, I am convinced principle, procedure, and so forth by the belp | badelivered, will induce importers to operate large- | for the occasion: We want something that we them to evade the payment of an immediate lekin, feel that we are mying a genuine compliment to through the Canal and by land in time of peace utility, the British disc is quite beyond Cabinets and mutual consultations between and we don't know how much more there will be the Queen without any tinge of selfishness about the Constantinople Ambassadors with the payable, treaties notwithstanding. The native it. I think myself a school for girls would be drug will now have such an impetus given to its the best thing. \$30,000 would set such an insti growth that it will eventually become a greater tution going, and leave a substantial nucleus for arrive at a complete understanding as to details, the semi-official writer recommends the

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Mesers. Line, Crawford & Co. held their anproposals unless the Porte champions their | nual sale of race ponies in front of the City Hall; yesterday afternoon. There was a good attendrights as well as the Russian claims. ance, but bilding was slow, and all the valuable The Vienna Political Correspondence pub- ponies were either bought in or withdrawn altogether. Dankeld was put up at \$500, but got no bid, and was bought in at that figure; Aming that a decided opinion prevails there that | bassador was bought in at \$100, and Lochabar the difficulties regarding the candidature for at \$50. Wynberg sold for \$75, and Shrimp and Prestissimofor \$50 each. The other lots were knocked down as follows .- Diotator \$10. Trutz come, as Russia is not officially pledged to 316, Vexation 311, Vanity Fair \$12, Whipper support the Prince of MINGRELIA, and the In \$12, Plasvon \$40, Lochuagar \$40, Moonlighter \$36, Official \$21, Cortachy \$35, Micky All letters for publication should be written on one Porte is prepared to regard its recent Circular Free \$17, and Kango: \$15. There were also to the Powers as null and void. In this case, several hacks sold at low prices. A contingent from Stonecutter's Island caused some amusement; two of them were knocked down for carry it into effect, and make every body a par-Regency would be practically assured, and 35 each and another was withdrawn. A hand- | ticipator in the wisdom or folly of the proceed some little Manila pony with English made dog ing part and hamess was bought in for \$330.

"The Singapore and Straits' Directory," which recently came to hand, is one of the most hand. The Chairman sensibly urged them to some productions of the kind in the Far East, consisting of about 650 pages, royal octavo size. The same amount of information might, however, be advantageously condensed into much fewer pages. Besides Directories proper for the Straits Settlements Protected States, Dell. Borneo Settlements, and Bangkok, with Alphabetical list of pilers seems to have been that nothing relating the Straits and adjoining Settlements to should be omitted; indeed some things are, we think, given with a quite unnecessary fullness. That the book has a large sale is evidenced by Arrowsmith is given, but unfortunately it is uncoloured. As so many China residents are Settlements we anticipate for the book a considerable sale beyond the limits of the ground it

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

[SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS."]

LONDON, 1st March. THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE. Her Majesty the Queen will attend the Jubilee service in Westminster Abbay on the 21st June, which day will be observed as a graneral holiday. MINISTERIAL DEADLOCK IN ITALY.

There is a deadlock in the Covernment of Italy, all statesmen having declined to undertake the formation of a new Cabinet.

Sir George Bowen resumes the Governorship

LONDON, 2nd March. MILITARY REVOLT IN BULGARIA Several thousands of the garrison of Silistric have revolted against the Regency, and an extension of the revolt & feared, in consequence of which overal Danubian towns have been declared in a state of siege.

in Bulgaria, and is strongly fortified. I contains a population of about 24,000.-ED.

CRICKET.

A cricket match-The Services v. Hongkong [Since writing the above we note by a late Club-will be played to-day, commencing at 2 will be provided at the Pavilion to-morrow. The Band of the Audacious, by kind permission of ground dwing the afternoon to-day, and toderson and officers, will be present. The following are theteams:--

HONGKONG CLUB. H. Dawson, E.N. (Capt.) A. Branwell, 58th Col. Ryan, R.A. P. W. Bush, R.N.

M. D. Graham, 58th A. A. Lloyd, 58th
A. de C. Scanlan, A.M.S.
L. Collins, R.N. T. Sercombe Smith A. K. Travers A. Hickley, R.N.

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THE QUEEN'S JUBILEE. -TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGEONG DAILY PRESS.

SIR.—I think the general feeling in town today is that the decisions arrived at by the put lic the selebration, it is true, as the Chief Justice said, that various dates have been fixed in The Deli Courant announces that the North various places in order to meet the convenience that colony to Holland. For this purpose, it the celebration has been fixed so long beyond the intends to run direct steamers flying Lloyd's jubilee year. Where the proper day has been will be steamers admirably adapted for carrying | cipated, but in no case has it been postponed. A passengers. The vessels to be put on the line celebration after the jubilee year has passed away will be meaningless, and a half and half sort of business at best, for the meeting of the Legislative Conneil to adopt an address to Her Majesty will of course have to be held on the proper date and the saluting both ashere and affoat will have to take place at the same time. But the chief objection to the postponement of the event is to be found in the fact that it is very uncertain whether Her Majesty will occupy the throne in November next. It is well known that she has for some time past been finding the cepted the existing situation unreservedly. burden of her duties taxing her strength to a painful degree, and there is an impression that Mr. Labouhere uttered a prophecy which will be fulfilled, when he wrote in his Christmas num- Depretis is reforming the Italian Cabinet. ber (making the Queen address the Prince of Wales)-

ledge & Co. entitled "Tippoo. A Tale of a Yes. your nother next June will retire from the Throne, and as then she her sceptre abjures, She will hall the bright day that concludes her long reign as the happy commencement of yours. Were the canny Scotchmen who proposed and seconded the 9th November under the impression that the same feast would do to welcome the coming and speed the parting guest P

will soon leave these seas for Europe. She came while we are only carrying out a scheme de- MILITARY COMPIRACY IN ST. PETERSBURG. out in 1885 to relieve the Minim, and before cided upon long ago without any reference two years have elapsed she is to be relieved by to the Jubilee. Instead of a compliment another ironclad. Seeing that Russia can manage it would be an insult. But the scheme will tary and naval schools here. Eighteen cadets the only possible solution of this question. The that the mine had bankrupted every man who same. It is high time the Audacious should be road and talking to the people he meets. Your as to the nature of the conspiracy have not yet what can his mediation avail, it is asked, when to it. At that time the only ore in sight was a This will be her fourth year as flag-ship on the majority was certainly large in the sense that out in these seas. It does not look well for Eng- minority who voted against it, but the great Sir James Fergusson, Under Secretary for Franco-German struggle, Russian military men This was apparently the turn in the tide. All land, as the Chinese and Japanese might natur- | majority of the meeting did not vote either way. Foreign Affairs speaking last night at a banquet invariably express their belief in the decidedly subsequent investments have turned out handally believe England to have only two ironolads, I very much question whether the number who given by the Chambers of Commerce, said that superior chances of the newly-organized French somely. His property, if sold under the hammer voted for the park was more than thirty. It is he regarded anoutbreak of war was nulikely.

We (Straits Times) are informed that the nonsense to talk bout loyally accepting the DEATH OF A WELL ENGWN LADY NOVELIST. statue of Sir Stamford Raffles was duly shipped decision of such small number as that. Then on the 28th January for Singapore by steam- we have the Chinese to consider. They will cer-Regents resign, without the intervention ship Glamorganshire.—The statue of Sir Arthur thinly not subscribe for a park for the European Kennedy should soon be on the way to Heng- community. It sail very well to tell them they will like the park themselves when it is made, but at present they don't want it. The only way In their circular dated the 28th January, in which the work could possibly be carried on Mesers. Buth, Brothers, of Newshwang, thus re- would be for a few of our local Vanderbilts cord their opinion of the prospects of the opium to head the subscription list with amounts of trade at that port :- "It will be noted that foreign \$20,000 and \$10,000. If the first half-dozen

Loyalty." That would be something the Chi-

nese would understand, and for which they would plank down theirmoney freely. Apologising for respassing at such length on your space. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1887.

SIR,—There sams to be a strong desire on the part of some members of the community to plant trees in the middle of the Raco-course and call it The notion was a harmless one until yester day, when at public meeting it was decided to

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONGKONG

DAILY PRESS."

The only apparent reason for this decision was that the majority of those present were eager to do something and did not know what to do.

journ and think it over, but they were in too British taxpayers, Sir James Fergusson, Under great a hurry to hink. representative Committee tell us how we are to carrying out delicate negotiations and Hen

course are ten ortwenty feet high? It will be intensiting, too, to know the exact length and breadth of this splendid memorial of Hongkong's leyalty and love for the Sovereign Lady so touchingly described by the Chief Justice (according to the China Mail) as "an excollent grandmether to her children."-Yours

A MEMBER OF THE JOCKEY

Hongkong, 3rd March, 1887.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS" SIR.-I was placed to see "Loyalty's" letter in this morning's paper. I think a statue of Her Majesty is the paper way of commomorating the Jubilee year. Ihope the Committee appointed by the public meeting will give this their serious consideration. If they feel themselves bound by the decision in favour of the park, let another meet ing be called to reconsider that decision. It little short of a disgrace that the colony does not to be called in. There is a large stock of this too must be docked at Malta, her case being only possess even a partrait of Her Majesty. present is a good opportunity for supplying that at once to the native regiments first on the roster much as she will be able to make her own way. want with a statue. Only if we do have a statue don't let m hide it away in the Botanical Gardens as we are going to do with Sir Arthur's the First Army Corps. statue, which, for all the public will see of it, might almost as well be left in its packing case. -I am, sir, your faithfully.

. . A LOYER OF THE QUEEN. Hongkong, 3rd March, 1887.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE. " DAILY PRESS." SIR,-" Loyalty's" suggestion seems to me to embrace the tiree essential points that should

lat.—It gives a permanent memorial. 2nd.—It provides for the necessary display and the gifts to our heal charities.

esidents prefemble to the proposed Park .-Yours truly, Hongkong, 3rd March, 1887.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

The following telegrams are taken from Ran-SOCIALIST DOMONSTRATION IN LONDON.

LONDON, 9th February.

last evening at Clerkenwell. A body of roughs out." afterwards damaged and robbed several shops in the neighbourhod. LONDON, 11th February.

DEATE OF ME. RYLANDS, M.P. Mr. Peter Rylands, Unionist Liberal member

of Burnley, is ded. THE VACANT SEAT. LONDON, 14th February.

The Marquis of Hartington has written a letter in support of the candidature of Mr. Thurs-Conservative interest, owing to the seat having at Kyonkmyoung, was murdered by dacoits been rendered want by the death of Mr. Peter Rylands, Unionist Liberal. Mr. J. Slagg, Glad- shooting. stonian Liberal, will oppose Mr. Thursby. THE DIVISION OF MR. PARNELL'S AMENDMENT.

LONDON, 12th February. In the House of Commons last night, Mr. Parnell's amendment to the Address, denying that any disorder existed in those parts of Ireland where the rentshed been suitably reduced, and

IRISH MITCHALIST MOVEMENTS. LONDON, 14th February. meetings being proclaimed, several meetings of Nationalists took place at Longhres and Youghal yesterley.

LONDON, 15th February. commenced in Dublin.

FRANCE AMD GERMANY. BURLIN, 9th February. Fresh reports are current here of the persistent massing of French troops on the frontier, the French are also said to be despatching large quantities of previsions to the frontiers. Prince Hohenlohe, the Statthaler of Alsace-Lorraine. speaking at a baquet at Strasburg, said that the times would remain serious until the rrench ac-THE ITAMAN MINISTERIAL CRISIS.

ROME, 14th February. At the request of King Humbert, Signer THE VATICAN AND CHINA. Rome, 18th February. The Vatican is sending to Peking the duly

nttested Convention between China and the Holy See, by which the former gives assurances of complete liberty and security to the Catholics throughout Chins. THE BUGARIAN NEGOTIATIONS. ST. PETERSBURG, 11th February.

ST. PETERSBURG, 14th February.

LONDON, 10th February.

LONDON, 11th February. Mrs. Henry Wood, the novelist, is dead. ENGLAND AND THE NEUTRALIZATION

Suzerainty of the Salten, that capitulations be or war. It is proposed that the majority of the that British troops should reoccupy Egypt in

next best thing, I think, would be a statue of the James Fergusson, replying to a question, said is now reduced to uniform ugliness of dress; but I Queen, as recommended by your correspondent Government would adhere to the declarations admit the change has been in the direction of utithey had already made respecting their policy lity. At present, the Prussian Army is the best in Egypt; he was unable, he said, to enter into dressed all round, and next the Russian. Some details of the negotiations proceeding between Spanish corps are very smart, but the Italians Sir H. Drummond Welff and the Porte for a have distinctly retrograded in details—their settlement of the Egyptian question. France head-dress, except that of cavalry and bersaglieri,

LONDON, 12th February The English Press unanimously oppose the coheme for the neutralization of Egypt.

CONSTANTINOPLE, 14th February. Sir Henry Drummond Wolff has not pro posed to the Sublime Porte the abolition of the capitulations in Egypt, as was stated by La Temps in its issue of the 11th instant. His Ex cellency has only submitted, for consideration, among other points, the proposal for enlarging the powers of the mixed Tribunals, in order to deal with offences committed by Foreigners.

CONDON, 15th February. Replying to a question in the House of Com mons last night, suggesting that Sir Drammon Wolff's Mission was an unnecessary burden on Secretary of States for Foreign Affairs, said However, now the matter is settled, will the that Sir Drummond was at present engaged in see the races when the trees in the middle of the Majesty's Government had no intention of terminating his mission as suggested.

PORTUGUESE ULTIMATUM TO ZANZIBAR. ZANZIBAR, 14th February. Portugal has presented an ultimatum to the Sultan of Zanzibar demanding the cossion of the in his recently published "Naval Annual," and fleat is threatening to bombard Tungi. THE BRITISH INDIAN TROOPS TO BE ARMED

WITH REPEATING RIFLES Calcutta, 13th February. INDIAN APPOINTMENT.

LONDON, 14th February. Chief Commissioner of Rajputana, has been ap-pointed Secretary of the Secret and Political afternative but for her to proceed to Malta. On Department at the India Office, in succession to the Pacific Station thousands of miles may have Mr. Adolphus Moore, deceased. STEAMBOAT DISASTER ON THE IRRAWADDY.

Minnoo, 9th February.

it is impossible to do so.

THE PACIFICATION OF BURMAN. THATETMYO, 12th February. -- "Patrol was attacked this morning near Leng- | considered, and is now in a fair way

MANDALAY, 12th February. of inducing the Woontho Tsawbwa to surrender some means for frequently cleaning their cop-Sir Charles Warren denies that there were have tailed. His lieutenants are now engaged perless bottoms were not provided, and no conany shops pilliged in Clerkenwell by the in destroying all the villages, the people of which | trivance appears likely to be so efficacious for The inhabitants of Woontho have received disposal of a fleet or division of a fleet, on almost warning to vacate it or perish with their new any given part is a station, supposing always attack the British Garrison and destroy the town. whether fixed or floating, require considerable MANDALAY, 8th February.

On the 6th instant Captain E. B. J. Vaughan,

GENERAL BOULANGER AND M. ROCHEFORT.

PARIS, 21st January.

M. Rochefort, who six weeks ago sharply atsee in him a man of decision. He also says that by utilizing the pumping machinery for filling The trial of Mr. Dillon and five others for if those who are plotting to secure the Presi- the water-ballast chambers on either side. The conspiracy to prevent payment of rent has dency of the Republic for M. de Freycinet and engines would then be stepped, and all made the Premiership for M. Jules Ferry want to secure for careging, when the sluice valves on double General Boulanger's popularity, they have the side to be raised out of water would be only to treat him as a political Jonab. All the opened, and the dock would gradually heel over population of the capital will clamour for his re- so as to expose the under-water part up to the turn to the War Office, because he has always keel. When one side is done the same operagone on popular lines, and turned the Princes tion can be performed for the other side. Of neck-and-crop out of the army. The Opportu- course it goes without saying that all the necesnist Paris deplores this language of M. Roche- sary calculations as to stability, strength of mafort, and regrets that a soldier's portfolio should terials, and horse-power have been most carefully be defended against alleged conspirators by the made. It would certainly seem, should this dock menace of a grand smeute. It wrings the heart fulfil the expectations of those competent to of Le Paris to reflect that a Frenchman, think- judge, that a great want is in a fair way of being ing himself a Republican, should speak thus, and supplied; and it is to be hoped no time will be count upon the violence of an anonymous crowd; at a time when French diplomatists have to deal | would be most suitably and conveniently berthed with the gravest European complications. It, at a coaling station, whence at need it could prohowever, consoles itself by believing that Gene- coed wherver there was sufficient water and shelter. ral Boulanger has been the first to deplore the intemperate advocacy of M. Rochefort. - London Daily News Correspondent.

tunities of ascertaining the views of the sand dollars in Bowen's pocket is equal to a mit-The preliminary negotiations with the Grand military leaders here who are fairly ac- lion in any other man's. He can do more with As to the Victoria Park, it is absurd to Vizier and the Bulgarian Delegates have not as quainted with the policy of the Imperial Goless money than any other man I over met. You look upon that as in any way a compliment to yet produced any result. M. Zankoff, of the vernment in massing picked troops in the can't keep him down. He has been the football the Queen. As Mr. Francis put it, it is simply Russophile party in Sofia, is insisting upon ex- Southern provinces. These leaders are confi. of fortune all his life. Eighteen months ago he making a handsome present to curselves. The treme conditions, notably for the appointment dently of opinion that Russiais inevitably drifting had hardly a dollar in ready money. To-day park is much needed, but for decency's sake don't of a Bussian General as Minister of War in the into a war with Austria. They believe that the he could draw his cheque for a million. About a A writer in the Singapore Free Presi says:- let us act the hypocrite over the matter, and new Cabinet. The Envoys of the Great Powers | Bulgarian question may now be considered as a | year ago, when his finances were at a very low side issueonly to the more comprehensive question | ebb, I wrote him a letter offering to purchase the of a political reconstruction of the balance of power | Golconda Silver Mine which the Senator owned. in South-Eastern Europe. An ultimate appeal My figure was £4,00 . He replied that the A conspiracy has been discovered in the mill- to arms by Russia and Austria is, they think, amount was all that the Golconda was worth, all the strength of the German army is being low grade ore that hardly raid the expense of strained against a French invasion, which will working it. A few months later they struck it assuredly this time be fought by France to the rich, and the mine began penning out immoneoly. end? It is remarkable that on this subject of a You could not buy it to-day for half a million.

A FOREIGN CRITIC ON BRITISH UNIFORMS.

An Austrian Staff officer of distinction, who has been over here lately, writes to a friend :--"I have seen nothing to equal the absurdity of Le Temps, of to-day, states that the main other corps in the British Army. It is a kind points of the proposals made by Sir Henry of thick cloth disc considerably less than the Drummond Wolff to the Sublime Porte are, that head, to the side of which it is affixed by a strap autonomy be secured to Egypt under the under the chin, looking very much like an excrescence on the soldier's skull, or like a mushnor sunshine. Having now had a run through competition. There are some infantry reofficers in the Egyptian Army be British, and giments with curious Scotch caps, not unlike our 'foragers,' but peakless and without flaps, which the event of any disorder. The present British are less comical, but still useless as head cover-In the House of Commons last night Sir once the most beautifully uniformed in the world, has now assented to the abolition of Corvee in Egypt on certain conditions.

LONDON, 12th February

LONDON, 12th February they are in a state of transition always. The shake has just been abolished in the greater part of the military 'rogious' of corps d'armés, but the kepi still holds its own. The French heavy cavalry grande tenue is good, .. the light cavalry not so, and the baggy overalls, with immense leathers, most ungainly. Next to the English in point of agliness, come the Datch uniforms in undress; but the British infantry and artillery have adopted rather a neat form of the Pickelhaube, which is smart and effectiva. The Belgian infantry justify Prince Bismarck's joke-'s great deal of overcoat and very little inside it. The English Horse and Artillery turn outwonderfully, and except the Russian Imperial Garde à Cheval and the Hussars of Grodno, no corps come up to the glitter of the Household Cavalry of the Queen, and to the smartness of some of the light cavalry, which are better horsed than the Ziethen Hussars, and arequiteas showy.'

> A LOCOMOTIVE FLOATING DOCK. A Times correspondent writes-Lord Brassey,

Tungi territory, which has been recognized by afterwards in the columns of The Times, called the Anglo-German agreement as forming a part attention to the absence of any dock accommodaof the Sultan's dominions. Sayed Barghashhas ro- tion for ships of the Royal Navy at various points plied to the Portuguese Government referring on important stations, mentioning particularly the question to the Powers. The diplomatic re- the East and West Indies and Gibraltar, to lations between Portugal and Zauzibar have in which he might well have added the Pacific the meantime been broken off, and the former's also. When the Euryalus was flagship on the East Indian Station, grave detects developed thomselves in her stern-tube, which necessitated her being docked for their reparation, and the ship had to be towed from Bombay to The Englishman learns that it has been decided Malta in consequence. As if fate were deterto arm the British troops in India with repeat- mined to emphasize the warning, the Bacchante, ing rifles. The official information to this effect which succeeded her as flugship, is now reported was received from England a few days ago that to be so badly injured in her keel by the attacks the Martini Henry of the British troops is to be of feredo navalis, which pest has found its way made over to the Native Army whose Solders are | between the wood and the zine sheatbing, that she rifle in store, and this reserve is to be served out less humiliating than that of the Euryalus inesfor service. The stock will probably be suffi- When the Urgent, Commodore's ship at Jamaica cient for the present for all the native troops in (a place which will be of vastly increased maritime importance when the Panama Canal is completed). required repairs, she had to be towed to Bermuda, and if anything happens to a ship at Gibraltar, Colonel Sir Edward Bradford, the present where Lord Brassey thinks the absence of a to be traversed before a ship can be docked. Now to build a dry dock of majoury at every point on a naval station near which at some time or The Irrawaddy Flotilla Company's mail other a ship may be likely to find herself in need steamer Theoreah, while going into Misboo this of its accommodation is manifestly, if only for be simed at in commemorating Her Majesty's morning, struck on a rock. A large hole has financial reasons, out of the question. And inbeen made in the after part of the vessel, and deed it may be doubted, even supposing the after hold has six feet of water in it. No money were no object, whether there would blame attaches to Captain Cooper. The channel not be very great engineering difficulties in shifted and no intimation of the fact had been the way of constructing one at Unbrantar.

3rd.—The Chiase community will benefit by given. The Theoreak is now aground on a sand. To the north of the Rock the soil is bank. To get at the leak, the deck is being out porous and treacherous to a degree, while a dock Some such scheme is in the opinion of many through. There is every expectation that the hewn out of the southern end would too often be steamer will be saved. This accident shows unavailable in bad weather. Nearly 16 years what a very injudicious selection was made when lago the late Lord Hampton, then. Sir John Minboo was fixed on as the Head-quarters of the Pakington, said, "Nobody could contribute a Southern Division. At all seasons it is difficult | more valuable addition to naval contrivances to approach with safety, and at certain periods than to invent a really efficient floating dook, and not only a floating dock, but a dock which when affect may go to any part of the world." This idea lay dormant for a long time, but has The Officer Commanding at Monakon wires: within the last year or so bear revived, seriously hai by 200 decoits. One sepoy killed and one being carried into effect. Messra Rennie, the Telegraph coolie wounded. Thirty of the da- well-known marine engineers, have devised a coits were killed. The fight lasted about three | navigable floating dock, on an entirely new The Socialists succeeded in holding a meeting hours. The Telegraph line to Yenana has been principle, the designs for which have been most favourably received by the Admiralty. The swift cruisers that naval mon are so continuously The negotiations carried on with the object crying out for would soon cease to be swift if are supposed to be inclined to assist the British. this purpose as a dock which could be at the allies. A proclamation is being circulated an- that the dock is capable of rendering the services nouncing that a large force is being organised to expected of it. Everybody knows that all docks, MURDER OF A BRITISH OFFICER IN BURMAN. Pumping power as a matter of course. The one striking original feature in Rennie's design is that this very pumping power is used to by, who has consented to contest Burnley in the 6th Punjab Infantry, an officer on special duty propel the dock from place to place when a change of quarters is necessary, and also to careen within 300 yards of the Fort, when out duck- the dock for purposes of examination, cleansing, shooting.

The method of propulsion to be employed is the hydraulic arrangement which, pace Sir George Elliot, was not a brilliant success in the Waterwitch, but which will be quite sufficient to give the locomotive dock a speed of about six knots, while the advantage of making one set of machinery do the work both of propelling and pumping is obvious. The plans and estimates adding that authoray, and not repression, was tacked General Boulanger, whom, because the that have been got out are in the first instance, the remedy for the crisis, was after a protracted Bonapartiets rallied to him, he accused of har- for a dock capable of taking in a ship of the Arcdiscussion, rejected by a majority of 352 against | bouring coup d'et it notions, admitted a few days | thusa or Phastontype, say 300ft. long, 46ft. beam, 246. The analysis of the division list on the later that his judgment was hasty and unjust. 20ft draught, and 4, 00 tons displacement. Such amendment shew that Mr. Chamberlain voted He has latterly been the General's warmest par- a dock will have to be 350ft, long, 96ft, outside and in the majority, and that the Gladstonian Liberals tisan, and now threatens the Elysée with the 60ft, inside width, with a total height of 35ft. meeting yesterday were all a mistake, barring were included is the minority. Mr. Gladstone march on it of from 20,000 men if the and would be available for use in any harbour of the first repolation. As to the time of holding was absent. plot which he says is being hatched there for the six fathoms' depth. Its cost is put down for benefit of M. Ferry and M. de Fraycinst against | hull (steel), machinery, capstans, cranes, &c., as the War Minister comes to a head. They will £105,000. This does not include anchors and Notwithstanding the holding of Nationalist march to the cry of "A bas les traitres! chain cables, as these are always supplied by the Vive Boulanger 1" M. Rochefort now speaks Admiralty. The time required for construc-of General Boulanger as not only popular tion would not exceed 12 months. A word as with the army but with the people, who to the careening of the dock. This is effected

> "There goes the nerviest man in the Western country." The gentleman indicated (says a New York Herald correspondent) was Senator Bowen. The Odessa correspondent of the Daily News of Colorado. The speaker was one of a group of writes :- I have recently had several oppor- politicians from that State. "A hundred thou

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

Actor (who has recently married a fellowactress)-" My wife was so popular that on our wedding-day we were in the happy position of being able to pawn no fewer than twelve brace-

The Berliner Tageblatt understands that during the recent visit of the Bavarian Prince Regent to Berlin, a plan was under consideration of formally raising Prince Luitpold to the Bavarian throne, and that Boron von Crailsheim's journey had reference to this scheme.

Princess Christian is engaged on a translation of the "Memoirs of the Margravine of Bayreuth." The book will be accompanied by an introduction of some length from the pen of her Royal High-ness, which will throw considerable light on the influence which the Margravine possessed on the mind and actions of her illustrious brother Frederick the Great.

In one of the largest Scotch board schools boy was sent by the junior mistress to the headmaster for punishment. The lad came crying and rubbing his eyes, and was asked by the master what he had been sent to him for.— "Telling a lee," said the boy. The master, to improve the occasion, asked him if he knew where all liars went to .- "Yes," said the half. erying oulprit. " Please, sir, they gang to the

The following appears in the City Press under the head of "An amusing but true story":-Two brothers recently had £100,000 left them apiece by a departed relative One of them was very engry that so large a sum should have been left to him. The mother said, "Well, if you are not satisfied, we can easily get rid of it," and nihe members of the family having been invited to a feast, they found stock altogether to the amount of the bequest under their plates.

A foreign noblemen on a visit to Paris was smitten with the charms of Mademoiselle Fthe young danceuse at the Eden Theatre. He went to see her next day, and was admitted. On Shanghal.-While they were engaged in conversation the servant (fresh from the country) entered the room, -" Madame, the hair-dresser," -" Let him wait."-" I told him you was engaged, but, says he, go an'ax your missus to send her hair out here and I'll do it up at once to save time.

"A Scot" writes :- " They have been telling Lord Rosebery in Bombay what Indian 'toddy is, and he has explained to them that toddy in his native country is something quite different. But though I have read various comments in the English papers on this little incident, I do not gather that my of the writers are thoroughly up in the subject of toddy. There are really three kinds of it recognised in Scotland. To begin with, there is what is briefly and rather contemptuously called 'toddy.' This is two glasses of hot water to one of whisky, and is chiefly prepared for visitors. 'Scotch toddy' is equal quantities of water and whisky; while 'Highland toldy' is one glass of water to two of whisky. 'Highland toddy' is generally browed for great cocisions only, such as a Burns supper."

The official Income Tax Returns in Prossia just published show that the man who is rated highest in all Prussia is Herr Krupp, of Esseu. His income is assessed at more than five million marks, or £250,000 sterling, on which he pays Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's 151,200 marks, or £7,560 annually. Next comes Baron Rothschild, of Frankfort-on-the-Main, with an income of 24 millions, paying a far of 81,000 marks, or £4,050 per annum. Then follows the British Consul General. Baron Bleichröder, of Berlin, with an income of about 2,340,000 marks, paying an annual tax of 68,400 marks, or £3,420. The two next richest men in Douglas Steamship Company Limited-346 Prussic are two Silesian ironmasters. The only other Prussians with an income of over a million | Hongkong Gas Company's Shares \$125 per marks are Baron Hansemann and a Wastphalian magnate, each of whom pays rather more than Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$190 per £1,500 a year to the Treasury.

A correspondent reporting the movements of the Channel Fleet says: —The Iron Duke (Captain Boyle) seems to have been under an unlucky star. Just before putting into Lagos a party of Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-\$42 per men. were at pistol practice on board, and when the order was given to fire, a bullet, which had i been inadvertently left in a chamber of one of the weapons, pierced a seaman through the heart. Death was instantaneous. The vossel proceeded to sea at 5 am the fellowing morning to bury Panjom and Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining the body. On anchoring again, and preparing for manning and arming boats, one of these was | Perak Sugar Cultivation Company-Tis. 18 per overturned and stove in, and four of the men in her narrowly escaped drowning. Yet another | Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Lioccurrence was reported. Before leaving Lisbon, one of the crow was stabbed when on leave | Hongkong and Macao Glass Manufacturing Co., taken a trip up the Silves river, remained bethe exceptionally low water. She overtook the fleet the following day.

The new Italian singer, Baldini, who is said to be embarrassed by the numerous offers of an engagement at different Italian theatres, only a short time ago was a lawyer, and had the best business in that line in Rovigo. When Verdi was passing through Rovigo he stayed at Baldini's house and during the evening the lawyer sung a few songs to the composer: " My dear siz," exclaimed Verdi, " you have a colossal voice: you ought to throw aside all your law books, and learn to sing." The lawyer followed his advice, and made his debut as a professional singer in the theatre of the town where he had so long practised as a lawyer. The spectacle was a strange one. " So many judges and edvocates," says an Italian contemporary, "were probably never before collected in one theatre at the same time; while the galleries were full of rascals with gallowsfaces whom Dr Baldini's voice had defended during his prosperous career as an advocate." After the third act, in which Baldidi sang with magnificent success, a buge wreath was flung upon the stage. On the accompanying ribbon was inscribed, "From one whom you rescued from imprisonment."

Most actors have hobbies. Mr. Irving's is to preverve all the dresses he has appeared in. Mr. Wilson Barrett's is to be photographed continually "life-size," Mrs. Langtry's is foncing. Sarah Bernhardt's is to sleep in a coffin (provided there are people to look on), Miss Harriet Jay, the novelist-actress's, is to wear boy's clothes at home, Miss Minnie Palmer's is to collect stockings, of which she carries about with her several hundred pairs; Miss Maude Branscombe's is to run races. Once Miss Brancombe was out walking in the country, when she heard shouting behind, and turning round, saw a number of schoolgiris racing down the road. They were part of a Sunday school pic-nic engaged in a race, and it was more than iss Branscombs could do not to join in. She came in first, and was presented with the p ize, a gold-headed pencil case, before it was discovered that she was an interloper. Mr. Penley's hobby is to kill insects. He has prepared for this on the most extensive scale, by building a greenhouse in which he has placed a number of fine plants, on the supposition that where there are plants insects are sure to gather. Then Mr. Penley sits in his greenliouse in an arm-chair smoking, on the supposition, again, that tobacco smoke kills insects.

Annabella is not Anna bella, or fajr Anna, but the feminine of Hannibal, meaning gift (or grace) of Bel. Arabella is not Arabella, or beautiful altar, but Orabilla, a praying woman. In its anglicised form of Orabel it was much more common is the thirteenth century than at present. Maurice has nothing to do with Mauritius, or a Moor but comes from Almsrichimmeireich, the kingdom of heaven. Ellen is the feminine name of Alain. Alan, or Allan, and has no possible connection with Helen, which comes from a different language, and is older by 1,000 years at least. Amy is not from amee, but from amie Avice or Avis does not signify advice, as some think. It comes from Ædwis, and means happy wisdom. Elizahas no connection with Elizabeth. It is the sister of Louise, and both are daughters of Heloise, which is Helowis hidden window. of Heloise, which is Helewis, hidden wisdom. Han There is indeed another form of Louise, which Dire is the feminine of Louis, but this was scarcely Ford heard of before the sixteenth century. Emily Wee and Amelia are not different forms of one name. Rais Emily is from Æmylia, the name of an Etruscan gens. Amelia comes from the Gothic amalia. heavenly. Reginald is not derived from Regina. and has rothing to do with a queen. It is Rem. alt, exalted purity. Alice, Adelias, Adelaide, Aliza, Aliz, Adaline are all forms of one name, the root of which is adel, noble. But Anna was never used as identical with Annis or Agnes (of which last the old Scottish Annas is a variety); nor, as is sturdily maintained, was Elizabeth ever synonymous with Isabel.

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